FOR INFORMATION CALL

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## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

## Gallery Night in Bronzeville to showcase African and African-American satin dolls

Handcrafted African and African American satin dolls will be featured tonight in the Bronzeville District during Gallery Night at **King Drive Commons Gallery & Studio**, **2775 N. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Dr.** 

The event's hours will be 5:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. tonight (Friday, July 25). The host of Gallery Night is the Martin Luther King Economic Development Corp.

The exhibit, held in memory of Dolores Leftridge, will showcase dolls by various artists who aim to inspire, heal, bring joy and express love. Featured artists include Dolores Leftridge, Phyllis Holder, Rosemary Ollision and Marquita Edwards, and will include dolls from Eldora Smith's collection.

Gallery Night will also feature live music and entertainment, including music by the **Larry Moore Jazz Trio** and a performance by the **Hansberry Sands Theater Company**.

There will be a doll making class **tomorrow** (**Saturday**, **July 26**) **from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.** If you are interested in participating, please bring cloth to use to craft your doll.

The events are free and refreshments (provided by B.R. Smiths Catering) will be served. If you have questions, the gallery can be reached at (414) 704-9117.